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- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
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The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

 Additional claim fees of \$1904 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$2804 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1904

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### **TRANSMITTAL**

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- 1. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pgs.);
- 2. Notice to File Missing Parts (2 pgs.);
- 3. Executed Declaration (4 pgs.);
- 4. Executed Appointment of Attorney;
- 5. Executed Establishing Right of Assignee to Taken Action (2 pgs.);
- 6. Copy of Executed Assignment (3 pgs.);
- 7. Check in the amount of \$2,804.00;
- 8. Petition for Extension of Time;
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